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SUBJECT: RESETTLEMENT OF VIETNAMESE FISHERMEN

1. IT APPEARS UNLIKELY THAT ANY OF THE VIETNAMESE REFUGEE FISHERMEN WILL BE TAKING ADVANTAGE OF GPNG AND STARKIST OFFER.

2. TWO PROBLEMS AROSE WITH THE PROPOSED SETTLEMENT. FIRST, STARKIST BOATS WILL BE LEAVING THE FISHING GROUNDS EARLY THIS YEAR. THIS MAKES FOR AN EXTENDED PERIOD (4 MONTHS) OF INACTIVITY, ON THE PART OF THE REFUGEES IMMEDIATELY ON THEIR ARRIVAL. THE PSYCHOLOGICAL BURDEN ON THE REFUGEE AND THE FINANCIAL ONE ON STARKIST WOULD BE TOO GREAT. SECONDLY, THE REFUGEES INTERVIEWED TO DATE DO NOT WISH TO EMIGRATE FROM THE U.S. WHERE FAMILY MEMBERS AND FRIENDS HAVE ALREADY BEEN SETTLED.

3. THE TASK FORCE WISHES TO THANK AMEMBASSY PORT MORESBY FOR ALL THE WORK IT DID ON THE PROJECT. IATF REGRETS THAT OUR COMBINED EFFORTS HAVE NOT BEEN REWARDED WITH A SUCCESSFUL SETTLEMENT.

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4. JUST RECEIVED PORT MORESBY 1192 LOOKS LIKE THE WHOLE

PROJECT DETERIORATED AT SAME TIME. THANKS AGAIN FOR  
YOUR EFFORTS, KISSINGER

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